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Title: CONTROLLING SCHEME FOR
STAND-BY BRAKING TORQUE
APPLIED TO AUTOMOTIVE
VEHICLE
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (38 pages).
- Formal drawings (10 sheets, Figures 1-10).
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- Assignment of the invention to NISSAN MOTOR CO., LTD.. ✓
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- Claim for Convention Priority with certified document
- Information Disclosure Statement.

Form PTO-1449 with copies of 7 listed references.

Proprietary Information Disclosure Statement.

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